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STEAMSHIP CO. TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

TITHE Offices of the above Companies have. -This Day been REMOVED to the New

J. S. VAN BUREN, Hongkong, 6th February, 1899.

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Noon on SATURDAY, the 18th inst... II.M. NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, 6th February, 1899.

NOTICE.

SPECIAL SESSIONS of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace will be held in the JUSTICES' ROOM at the Magistracy, on 'THES-DAY, the 14th day of February, A.D. 1899, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of considering applications from-

(1) HENRY JAMES FAUNCH for a Publican's licence to soll and retail intoxicating liquors on the premises situate at houses Nos. 38 and 39, PRAYA EAST, under the sign of "The Praya East Hotel."

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Magistracy, Hongkong, 2nd February, 1899.

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MOWBRAY S NORTHCOTE. Acting Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 4th February, 1899. SCHOOL AND ORPHANAGE FOR

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Canton, 1st February, 1899,

NOTICE. THE Undersigned begs to notify that he has sold to HO CHUK KAI 沒 竹何 on account of his old age all the Stock the Furnitures, the accounts on credit and the name of the shop HUNG-BING 乳洗, a tailor abop in No. 8, Queen's ROAD EAST. He undertakes to pay all the debts contracted by him in using the chop of HUNG SING or

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HO YING SHIU 兆盈何 Hongkong, 1th February, 1899. NOTICE.

FIHE Undersigned bogs to notify that he has purchased all the Stock, the Furnitures. 1385 the accounts on credit and the name of the shop HUNG-BING # 21, a tailor shop in No. 8, QUEEN'S HOAD EAST, from HO YING SHIU the late owner of the shop in question, who retired from business on account of his old age. The new owner will not be resowner in using the chop of HUNG-SING or other as security. The new owner still uses Consignees are requested to present all claims. The Undersigned having been eppointed the name HUNG-SING with the addition of for damages and/or shortages not later than the AGENTS for the above Company are prepared two more characters CHUK KEE The old owner has nothing to do with the busi-

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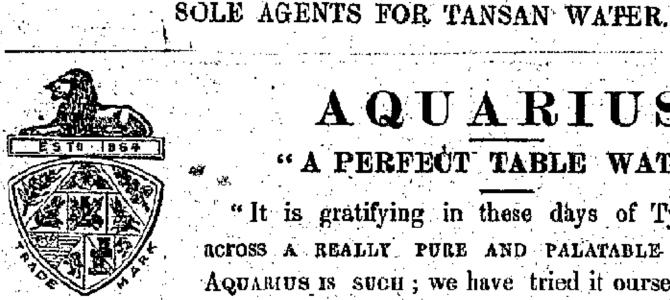
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BIRTH. On the 6th Flornary, 1899, at "Burnbrae," the wife of ROUNSEVELLE WILDMAN, M.A., United States Consul General, of a daughter.

Hongkone, February 7th, 1899.

There were 2,877 visitors to the City Hall Museum last week, of whom 204 were Europeans.

D'Arc's Marionettes will give two perform-

ances a day on Friday and Saturday next, to afford the Chinese an opportunity of enjoying themselves during the New Year holidays.

which will be found in to-day's supplement. Jon. Treasurer of the Alice Mumorial and Nathersole Hospitals begs to acknowledge

with thanks the following donation to the funds of the Hospitals :- Thankoffering from patient The return of the number of cases of communicable disease notified as occurring last

week shows that there was one case of diphthoriz (fatal), two of enteric fever (one death), and three cases of smallpox, of which two word on the Undaunted. According to a telegram received by the

Ostasiatische Lloyd the German Emperer has wired to his brother Prince Henry of Prussia, ordering him, pending the settlement of the recent dispute between France and Siam, not to proceed to Bangkok.

The Racquet Tearnament, providing there are sufficient entries, will start on the 16th instant. Members of the Hongkong Cricket, Honolulu, arrived at her destination on the Club wishing to enter will find the entry sheets | 3rd instant. at the Racquet Court. The entries will close at 5 p.m. on Monday, 13th February.

For behaving in a disorderly manner in Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai. Prays Central on Saturday two Chinaman were The O. & O. steamer Dorio, with mails, &c., Each fixed \$25, or six weeks, by Commander, from San Francisco to the 17th ultimo, via Hastings yesterday. In making a statement | Honolalu, has arrived at Yokohama, and will to the Magistrate one of them used the word leave for this port this morning via Inland Sen, " larbarian," for which he was further fined \$7. Kobe, Nagonki and Shanghai,

A fire occurred at Bengkok on the 24th January, which devastated a large portion of the Sumpany district. Many of the houses were shanties of little value, but a number of substantial buildings were also involved in the destruction and the total damage is estimated

| at \$100,000. At Shanghai on the 31st January a lorge junk working down river on the chb tide ran into the port quarter of H.M.S. Iphigenia, doing considerable damage, including the singshing of the quarter boat and banding of the davits, etc. A hawser was promptly passed to the junk and prevented it falling neross the bows of the Phoenix.

It is reported that the Hen. T. Sercombe succession to the Hon. H.E. Wodeliouse, that the Hon. A. M. Thomson succeeds to Mr. Smith's appointment as Colonial Pronsurer, and that general attack Americans Sunday. Natives the office of Postmuster-General will probably he confided to Commander Hastings.

On Saturday Captoin Keyser, of the Jacob Diedericksen, reported to the police that on returning to his vessel after having been ashore he found that a bey containing \$467.50 had been stolen. His boy, who was seen to leave the ship soon after him, was also missing. When he took over the ship on the 1st instant he received the money and put it in a drawer, which he locked. His boy knew where the money had been put. Subsequently the boy was arrested at Ma To Wai, but no money was found on him. He was brought before Commander Hastings yesterday morning and romanded until to-day.

From Yokohama papers we learn that Mr. Kiel, whose death by suicide on the 31st Jannary was reported by tolegram, was in the bar of the German Club at sine o'clock that morning. apparently in his usual health and spirits, and an hour later le was found near one of the sawpits of the Phonix Saw Mills, breathing, but in an insensible condition, having shot himself in past two months been afflicted with nervous the latter amounted to 1,900 men. prostration, which was said to have driven him to the use of ansesthetics; Reyond his disordered nervous condition there appears to have been no motive whatever for solf-destruction.

The Bangkok Times of the 23rd January says :-- Dr. Merrison, the Times correspond ent at Peking, arrived in Bangkok by the steamer Chowfa this afternoon. The Doctor will be here for about five days and will return to Peking. Afterwards be contemplates a journey up the West River in China. Dr. Morrison last visited Bangkok just over two years ago on his return from his plucky journey to Yunnan city, which occupied him some eleven months, and proped about the most difficult piece of travelling he ever accomplished. Since then Dr. Morrison has added greatly to his reputation as a brilliant journalist, and the Peking correspondent of the Times has come to be regarded as one of the Powers in the Far East.

A-very interesting address was given at the City Hall yeslerday afternoon by Mr. W. H. Playing Cards," under the anspices of the and Volumes Society. Mr. Wilkinson joing issue with Mr. Cavendish upon the contention of the latter that playing cards were invested independently in Europe and not borrowed rom the Chinese, Mr. Wilkinson content of that the European cards had been avolved from Chinese cards taken home by Marco Polo and that this rendered olear what had puzzled previous writers on the subject, namely, the origin of the symbols used to denote the different suits, these having been suggested by the Chinese characters. At the close of the address a hearty vote of thanks was the Hon. H. E. Pollock.

The China Gasette of the 1st January says We regret to have to record that Mr. H. W. Gye, who is well known in Shanghai, made what sooms a determined attempt to take his own life, though it may have been a misadventure or accident, last evening in the reading room of the Masonic Club, by taking a large dose of morphine. Fortunately he was very quickly disevvered to be in un unconscious state and medical aid was supmoned in time. Dr. Sloan was by Dr. Reid and Zedelins and prompt measures to the effects of the poison. At one time it looked as if he could not recover, but this afternoon we are glad to say Mr. Gye was recovering. No explanation is as yet forthcoming as to his reasons for his action, which has produced a very

painful impression. -Mr. A. G. Ward gave another organ recital in St. John's Cathodral yesterday afternoon, being assisted by Mr. C. P. Lammert as vocalist. There was a large congregation. The [28 | following was the programms :--

Allegro moderato e Serioso-Adagio-Andante Recitando - Allegro assai vivace. Recitative... "Draw near, all ye people" ("Elijah")

"Lord God of Abraham" ("Elijah" Mr. G. P. LAMMERT.

Adagio ... (from Sonata Pethetique-arr. by Hiles) Serenate ...... (Arr. by Boyse) ...... Moszkowski. Song ...... "Calvary" ...... Rodney. Mr. G. P. LAMMERT.

We have to acknowledge receipt of Cassell's Mayazine and The Quirer for January. The former, in addition to its serials and complete tales, has articles on "The Scotch Express," "With Slavers," "The Duke's Hounds: a Chat about the Badminton," "Almanacs," Weathermaking." "The King and Queen of Portugal," etc. The Quiver is notable for an article entitled "The Queen's Wish: From the Re collections of a former Maid-of-Honour," Alfred T. Story. Her Majesty was sented at a window of Osborno House overlooking Spithead and as she saw the ships coming and going she fell into a reverie, from which she was aroused by some one entering the room. presumably the maid-of-honour on whose recollections the paper purports to be founded and to | Maintenance, and Chang Yen-mao, the aspirant her the Queen communicated her reflections. It to that office. The battle is being fought on is to be assumed that Cassells would not publish such a paper without having taken steps to satisfy themselves that it would not be displeasing to Her Majesty, but some assurance | batants are left to themselves; he has the longer of the authenticity of the language attributed "Sovereigns," Her Majosty is made to ponent. Many affect to believe that his victory to Her Majesty would have been welcome. say, "have their influence, and when they die | will prove ultimately a severe blow to British it stops, or seems to. In only a few instances | interest, as he has very powerful German backis it otherwise. King Alfred turned the ing. I am disposed to think otherwise. If influence he exerted never wholly died. William. Mr. Pavloy's high-handed proceedings to British national mind to learning, and perhaps the I. set a hammer going that in the end turned engineers in the Ultra Great Wall line failed a nation of iron into a nation of steel. The last through the atrenuous offerts of Sir Claude Henry made the cooutry Protestant, Elizabeth -the Great Elizabeth-transformed it into a nation of licroes. . . I can hardly hope to | were willing (and there is no ground for supposleave such an influence; and yet under my rule | ing he would be willing) would be able to re-At the date of our last Australian advices a the people who were counted by hundreds have place the present railway staff. People are great sensation had been caused in Queensland grown to thousand the thousands to millions,

arts of pence Views for that end are justifiable, themselves loss in the art of war, but when

ships meet in the ocean or when they touch at "Friends, the watchword is-Peace." LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Giseld left Moji for this port on the 5th inst. Singapore on the 5th instant, and may be considered due here on or about the 11th instant. The California & Oriental steamship Co.'s stoamer Belgian King left San Diego on Thursday, 2nd February, for Hongkong via Yokebama, Kobe, and Shaughai, ... The P. M. steamer Actec, with mails, &c., which left honce December 28th for San

Francisco via Moji, Kobs, Yokohama and The P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, with mails, &c., loft San Francisco for this port on the 2nd instant via Honolulu, Yokohama,

FIGHTING AT MANILA. OLLISION BETWEEN THE AMERI

CANS AND THE INBURGENTS. THE INSURGENTS DEFEATED AND DEMORALISED.

A short telegram was received in the city on Sunday which showed that the long-expected had happened at Manila, the Americans and the Insurgents having at last come to blows. The telegram, which was received by Consul-General Wildman, gave no details, and some time clapsed before any confirmation was received. Yesterday, however, a private telegram was received from Manila which ran as follows: -"Out-post affair Saturday night resulted

defeated and demoralised. All well here." Before the receipt of the above wire there were not wanting some who doubted that anything serious had occurred. The Filipine leaders here considered it highly improbable, as Aguinalde had given strict orders to his followers to refrain from fighting, at any rate until yesterday, when the final vote on the Treuty of Peace was to be taken in the Senate, and they expressed the opinion that if a collision had occurred it had

been forced by the Americans so as to affect the the vote referred to. The Filipines complain of the severe consorship of telegrams imposed by the Americans contending that it is contrary to the agreement entered into. In the mountime we shall have to await the arrival of a vessel from Manila before we get full details.

Another telegram is said to have been received in town to the offect that the American fleet co-operated with the land forces in repulsing the mouth with a revolver. He had during the the attack of the Filipines and that the loss of

> SUPREME COURT. 6th February .--

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

BEFORE SIR JOHN CARRINGTON (CHIEF JUSTICE) AND A SPECIAL JUEY.

HOK V. BELILIOS.

The hearing of this case was resumed. Tsau defendant which is known as Beaconsfield, lately in the occupation of Mesars. Buttarfield

Mr. Pollock (Acting Attorney-General), instructed by Mr. H. L. Denuys, appeared for where, and the cost in this respect alone—not the plaintiff, and Mr. Francis, Q.C. (instructed taking into account loss of market and interest by Messes. Wilkinson and Grist) for the de- las been considerable. As an illustration

.The following composed the special jury :-- ; Messrs. R. Marten (foremen), H. M. Mehta. J. at the pariod might be computed to have re-S. Van Buren, Walter Peate, W. R. Loxley alised a profit of at least Tis. 5 per bale. W. Hutton Potts, and C. A. Tomes.

resumed by Mr. Pollock, said Mr. Chatham came Japan-was in such an unsatisfactory condition, specially to him at his office to speak to him about the repairs and alterations to Benconsfield, but he did not remember whether he gave him an estimate of the cost or not. When Mr. Chat- of interest much larger than would otherwise ham told him he would not be bound by the have been the case. Phird, and lastly, Cot-

difference in the cost of carrying out the repairs Tis. 121 in September; whereas Cotton yarn (4) Did he, by the representation that he made, plans and those of Mr. Chatham, showing in 10 to Tls. 59 for the same spinning. Now, Kordship said—I dare say you have had, what particulars the cost of the latter exceeded gentlemen, you will all be aware that a manuscript. and alterations to Beaconsfield according to his declined from the top price of Tls. 70 for No. the cost of the former.

the difference in your estimate of \$6,500 and the raw material and if there occars a stoppage defendant is guilty or not guilty, the mere The further hearing was adjourned.

TIENTSIN.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT. Tientsin, 28th January.

There are reports, persistent but more or less vague, from Peking that there is a rift in the Reactionary late; or, to follow French phraseology, that the Right seems disposed to divide into two camps, one of which, the Right-Centre, is favourable to the present regime; and the other, the Extreme Right, disposed to a most thorough reactionary policy, viz., the deposition of Kwang Su and the election of a Prince ontirely in harmony with ultra conservative views. Personally I am extremely dubious as , to the truth of these reports; they are not generally known in the legations or among the better informed Chinese down here. Moreover, Jung Lu, the pivot on which the Autumnal Ravolution turned, is credited with the intention of leaving Peking for a week before the New Year on a tour of military inspection. If

mischief is on the brew the prime upholder of the present monage is not likely to be absent. Through trustworthy native sources hear that a dual a outrance is being fought in the capital between Hu Yen-fuh, the existing Director-in-chief of Railway Construction and the usual Chinese lines. The more estate think that the victory will go to Chang if the compurse and knows "Peking "better than his opit is not at all likely that Chang, even if he

by a horrible murder and outrage, a report of and that has occur about because, for the most wont to forget that the Chinese, with all their have been to establish duty well done. They seklom treat good service on the directorate to fill the vacancy caused by and cargo, and also for ice-breaking, towing; to political disturbance in Northern China durantees to give nearly security in parentees the contract of the most wear amounted. peace, to give peo, security in pursuing the shabbily and when long duration is superadded but for no other. Her Majesty would not to excellence they are the last folk in the world Karbe. have the English people study less and practise to act unjustly. These remarks are peculiarly apposite to the relations between the officials a port she would have them say to each other and the able engineer-in-chief with his staff. We have it on good authority that Sir Claude is going to take a ran home this Spring to recuperate his strength, which has run down under pressure of business and its implied confinement to unsavoury Peking. If the Minister The East Asiatic Co.'s steamor Malaya left goes on furlough, British interests will be in the strong and capable hands of Mr. Bax-Ironside. The Logation will be unprecedentedly short handed, as the Second Secretary is absent on leave, and Dr. Cookburn is home on furlough. The C.B. conferred on this gentleman after so

> services to Sir Claude and his two predecessors were simply invaluable. large contingent of the Peking community visited us at the New Year and tried conclu-They won the last mentioned hands down, but is to become at facto an open port at that date broadth moulded 20 ft., depth moulded 8 ft. 8 failed at the others. The pole match was very

interesting as the first inter-community one in China, The visitor's toam consisted of three Indian officers and an able and brilliant journdist who is in the fore-front in every phase of sport known to Britishers. At the last memont one failed, so the match had to be played threehelde. We had to mount our visitors -a very grout handicap for them—so the issue (Tientsin.

5 goals to love) was not surmising. The metropolitans talk of return matches at China New Year to dispute our superiority in every phase of sport. They have issued a sort of commenced challenge which it is understood embraces Polo, Rugby. Socker, Chess, Billards; Athletics, Bleyeling; Skating, and Hockey. It has been accepted McNeilli. Mr. Wu Mai-tung, botter known in Hong.

ostensibly from presure of other business; but and bounden duty to lay before them such facts this statement has not lessened speculation as as would, he thought, prove to them that the to the real cause of his secession. In many accused was guilty. The accused was charged, respects the resignation is to be regretted. Mr. in the first count, with obtaining from Mr. Wa's presence was a guarantee of liberal and Worth, one of the managers of the Russo-Chinese Tientsin is at present a Colestial Capua and Tarontum, quite given over to pleasure. For | pretances, and in the second count the allegathe second year in succession the River has tion was that a certain godown order upon not frozen at the Band, and sea communication | which he obtained the advance was not a good has been maintained for the mails via Peitaibo.

THE SOY CHEE COTTON MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

lience on record (400).

January, when we mustered the greatest un-

The fourth ordinary general meeting of share. bolders in the above Company was held at the offices of the General Managers, Messra, Arnhold, Karberg & Co., Shanghai, on the 31st January, Mr. G. Galles presided and there Mr. W. Grage, Mr. Lamond, Mr. A. C. Ramdor, and Baron Schnitzler from the German Consulate-General, representing 1,655 shares. The Chairman in opening the proceedings said-Gentlemen, the report has been in your hands for some time and, with your kind pormission, I will take it as road. As you will bave seen from the figures, we have to deplore in the best season of the year for the sale of wages even during the time of the entire would give evidence that when he went to look the yarn. We had to keep the hands on half stoppage in order to prevent them going else-

will mention that the curtailment of production may be estimated at about 2,000 bales, which the second instance the market-besides being Mr. Belilios, on his cross examination being glutted by heavy shipments from India and generally, that sales were well-nigh impossible during the whole of the summer months and even part of the Fall-entailing thereby a loss the cost of the former.

What in your opinion has been the cause of afford to cease production at all fluctuations of upon us. Quite apart from whether the part of \$6,500 and

To reals to Mr. Dollock witness soil that In roply to Mr. Pollock, witness said that indeed if we had not made a loss, and much as I meantime remember this, that upon your verbefore the repairs and alterations were taken in regret it, I am of opinion, that all things | diet, if you believe these charges to be true, hand the building was in a fair and substantial considered the result is not by any means upon your verdict greatly depends the honesty state of repair, except that it wanted lime disheartening. In fact as far as the working and good reputation of Shonghai. This is a washing and painting. The so-called estimate of the mill is concerned, we are not without commercial community. Its whole honour and of his was more than an estimate. Tenders some redeeming features to report. When prosperity lie in the hearts, in the actions, of we met in January last I informed the meeting its merchants, and it is for you to see that if that we had 35,000 spindles at work and were there is anything done wrong, that that wrong then producing 60 bales per day. At the shall be punished. Gentlemen of the Jury, present moment we have 39,312 spindles run- however painful it may be, if you think the brisk and extensive enquiry, and between the ning and we are turning out-actually ready for delivery-90 bales per day. The cost of labour we have been able to reduce gradually by about 15 per cent, and we are continuing to make headway in that direction as well as affirmative and found the prisoner guilty on reducing the amount of waste accordingly as | both counts. the workpeople become more skilful. It may please you to learn that our chops are amongst points in the course of his argument, namely, the best liked and are held in high repute by (1) that if all the evidence given by the witnesses consumers. Times like these we have just gone for the Crown were correct and regarded in its through will probably not be experienced most favourable light for the presecution, it was again very often and anyhow we are now only evidence of obtaining credit, which was on a basis of prices of which it may be not an offence within the meaning of the Larassumed that they are sufficiently low to comy Act; and (2) that the document given to cause no further anxiety. The present values of yarns as compared with the cost of cotton are leaving a fair margin for profit. Speaking generally about the prospects of cotton spinning in hine Lumy say that the

reverses which the real wiffs have all suffered more or less are partiage ofter all not entirely to be regretted because if the contrary had happened no doubt the profits realised would have called into life large number of similar concerns for which the country is not yet propared and the evil day would only have been delayed to fall upon as with still greater force. As it is, the consumption of local yarns is only just now in a fair way to find a wider market, which will increase considerably as the Chinese learn to appreciate the superiority of the home-spun article rover many others and in At five minutes to live all was ready and the course of time may become unlimited when invited guests mounted the platform erected badly as the importers during the last twelve better facilities for carrying on the goods for the christoning of the Chinese Eastern months. Induced by a lucrative and thriving towards the interior will be established. One Railway Company's new steamer. The of the features which is not to be lest sight of coremony was gracefully performed by Miss dozen new hongs came into existence in the is the fluctuation of exchange, as the rise that Minnie Law who gave the vessel the beginning of 1898, and an element of recaless has taken place during the latter part of 1898 name Ying-how and, as she slid down the ways gambling was imported into the trade, with the is cortainly in a great measure accountable for with steam up, wished her all prosperity. Some result that two of them have collapsed, with the overslocking of the market with produce twenty minutes afterwards Miss Mabel Law liabilities estimated between \$50,000 and \$60,000, from our India and Japanese competitors. In was escerted to the bows of the second craft, a and about half a dozen more are lingering concluding I have merely to say that our stock lighter built for the same Company, and between life and death of yarr on the 31st of December has been christened her Kat-chow. The launching was Japanese Yern,-These threads are advancing

pleased to answer thy questions you may wish No questions being asked, The Chairman moved and Mr. Brodersen seconded the adoption of the report and accounts which was carried unanimously. Mr. Nölting proposed and Mr. Lamoud soconded the re-election of the retiring directors, Woo Saw-chin and Woo Chin-fuh, which was

also agreed to. Mr. Galles proposed and Mr. Danforth se-

conded the re-appointment of the auditor, which was agreed to. The Chairman thanked the shareholders for their presence and the meeting terminated .-N. C. Daily News. NANKING LIKELY TO BECOME AN

OPEN PORT. We learn from a most trustworthy source. that Nanking will be almost immediately de-

clared an open port. short a service as eighteen years has given the Ningpo, and Foodbow. With regard to Naugreatest satisfaction in Peking, where only his king, the French agents in China shall not deability and devotion are known. Mr. Cockburn's liver passports to their nationals for the city perial troops. However, Nunking is not yet an open port, although specified as such above. It is sloost ancient history to state that a but its formal opening can doubtless be claimed at pleasure by the French Covernment. The city is mentioned as a Treaty Port in the Re- tons and is fitted with three watertight bulkvised Yangtsze Regulations which are to come heads. Her dimensions are fleugth overall 109 into effect on the let April next, so probably it | ft. 5 in., length between perpendiculars 105 ft.,

THE INDIAN YARY MARKET THE BURGOYNE CASE.

In the Supreme Court at Shanghai on the 1st February John William H. Burgogue appeared to take his total upon an indictment in two cours scharging him with falsely caprosonting that he was possessed of 1,650 pieces of lambakin clothing and furs then in a godown in the Canton Road, by which means he obtained Pls. 20,000 from the Russo-Chinese Bank to be paid to his account, and further that he falsely protonted that a certain godown receipt, delivery order, given by him was a valuable security whereas it was not. The Grown Advocate (Mr. H. P. Wilkinson) prosecuted, the prisoner being defended by Mr. D. Mc Neill (Messes, Dowdall, Hunson, and

the prosecution, said it was the painful duty of kong as Wu Jun-pae, the Bank's Tionism the Jury to say whether the prisoner was guilty compradore, has issued a notice of resignation or not guilty of the effence alleged against him, from the Ruilway Directorate. Mr. Wu retires and it was his (the learned advocate's) painful Bank, Tls. 20,000, which was paid to the credit of his bank account in consequence of certain false security, as he falsely represented it to be. Business is at its minimum, and the movement. It would be unnecessary to point out of society is allegro. Our Thespians gave a the Jury, who were business men, the brilliant performance of the "Mikado" on 6th system whereby banks advancing money required security. On the 26th of March the secused. Burgoyne, wanted money placed to his credit, and the bank before doing so wanted some security which would justify them in

The Crown Advocate, in opening the case for

advancing it. The case was a simple one, so that it was unnecessary to more than point out that he obtained the money by way of a lean by false pretences. Although the defence might prove that the accused at the time he obtained the advance honed by means of other transactions and by large dealings in these or other the goods were not in his control, sufficient as well as from Japanese Mills. The case is a sight." were also present Mr. E. Frame (vice-chart-man), Mr. C. Brodersen, Woo Saw-chin, and money to repay that advance—if such a defence survival of the fittest. The Indian industry, how-were made even so the prisoner would be guilty ever, is capable of great improvement and if some Woo Chin-Iuh (Directors), Mr. Phillip Arnhold were made even so the prisoner would be guilty (general managor), Mr. H. Lehmann (sub-man- of the false pretence and liable for it. Mr. agent, Mr. J. Nölting, Mr. A. W. Danforth, Worth would give evidence that Tls. 20,000 (general manager), Mr. H. Lehmann (sun-man- of the raise presence and manie for its promoters, and agents would ager), Mr. J. Nolting, Mr. A. W. Danforth, Worth would give evidence that The 20,000 ferogo their quarter and commission on every for Newhbarn were placed to Burgoyne's credit on the reprein the godown lambskins and furs valued at ] Tis. 25, 00, and upon his pledging them with M. Speelman would give evidence us to the adworking. The causes which have led to this that on the 26th of March there were no regrettable result are manifold. In the most seen same in them to be supported in the stance we had to stop the mill for about represented, belonging to him, and that if there dividend, after appropriating Rs. 80,000 amongst concession is accomplished. The frontier line instance we had to stop the mill for about represented, belonging to him, and that if there dividend, after appropriating Rs. 80,000 amongst concession is accomplished. The frontier line A Hok, of 23, D'Agnilar Street, contractor, three weeks consecutively on account of wilful were skins there they were the property of sought to recover from the Hon. E. R. Belilios damage doue to our machinery, for the same others. Mr. Otto Menser, of the firm of Doddue for work done and materials provided by 20 occasions for several hours and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes are sometimes been long and honomrably connected, would also dealers was drawn to the position of stock, and sometimes are sometimes are sometimes. the plaintiff on a building belonging to the for balf-a-day or half-a-night-this occurring confirm the evidence of the godown keeper. Mr. for goods pledged to the Russo-Chinese Bank,

for the goods they were not there. From the evidence it appeared that there were skins in the godown, which ultimately went forward on Mr. Burgoyne's account, but that they were paid for by Messrs. Dodwoil, Carlill & Co. No evidence was tendered for the defence, but it was contended by the prisoner's counsel. who had cross-examined with reference to the

point, that the loan was really made to Mr. Burgayne in consideration of his giving the Bank a share in Messrs. Dodwell, Carlill, & His Lordship in summing up said and the questions for the Jury were briefly these:-(1) Did the accused represent that he had 1,650 skins in the godown of Dedwell, Carlill and witness told him he could have carte blanche. January last to 17.50 in August, receding | Co.? (2) Was this false? (3) Did this repre-Mr. Danby, architect, gave evidence as to the again with the arrival of the new crop to sentation include the bank-to make the loan?

the account sent in of \$17,200?—I can only in the sale of the produce, as has taken place fact of bringing him here is terribly painful sum it up by the word extravagance. Econ-during the past year, there is scarcely anything to us to remember. But, however painful the only seems to have been an unknown quantity, olso to be done but least gid by the loss. With the man have been an unknown quantity, olso to be done but least gid by the loss. With seeing the premises were only let on a three these facts before you and taking especially the Crown has made out its case you must say prisoner has done what he is charged with. doing, you must say so, and with these words 1 dismiss you to consider your verdict.

The jury answered all the questions in the The prisoner's counsel had taken two legal the bank, if anything, was a bill of sale which was void by non-registration and therefore not

a valuable security. Sentence was postponed, pending the a gument of these points, which was fixed for the 4th February, and as stated in the special telegram published in yesterday's issue, acoused was then sentenced to fifteen months'

LAUNCHES AT SHANGHAI.

On the afternoon of the 31st January launches took place at Boyd's shipbuilding yard. The weather was bright and, despite the cold, quite a number of ladies as well as gentlemen were assembled to witness the function.

valued at a safe figure, and that our production most successful, the vessels taking the water with rapid strides and reported sales last year has been fully sold. Before proposing the and coming to an anchor without a kitch. Mr. in Hongkong aggregate 37,383 bales as against adoption of the report and accounts I shall be Trentice, the manager of the works, then 22,130 bales in 1897. These comprise 305 bales invited the guests to the spacious hall in the of No. 10s., 947 bales of No. 14s., 7,488 bales new offices where refreshments were epread and of No. 16s., and 27,642 bales of No. where a cheerful fire was burning. Speeches were 20s. The low count of No. 10s. appears to then made and the prosperity of the Chinese be not much in favour with our dealers as being Eastern Railway and Boyd's Companies, with | too rich and dear for the tastes and pockets of a hint as to further orders, was drank in the Southern buyers, but we shall not be at all bumpers. Misses Minnie and Mabel Law were surprised if the Japanese do not adapt their then presented with magnificent bouquets and manufacture more in keeping with the wants the teast to the ladies brought the pleasant and wishes of the buyers next year and swamp The Ying-kow is a most serviceable craft of Sales of Indian yarn in Shanghai have, in

motion of Mr. Arnhold seconded by Mr. E. is fore and aft schooner rigged. Her dimen- to 147,678 bales as against 117,861 in 1897. sions are; length over all 132 feet, length between perpondiculars 127 feet, breadth increased and sales reported are 39,628 bales, as moulded 25 feet, depth moulded 12 feet Is litted with a double bottom and seven waterlight bulkheads; carries 110 tons of ton industry in China itself, the rapid strides feet of her bow is double plated with frames Shanghai and their increasing competition are the compound inverted cylinder surface condensing type. Cylinders 181 in and 38 in diam. with a 27 in stroke. The steam is supplied by a large multitubular boiler at a working pressure of 145 lbs. which is fitted with forced draught on the closed ashpit system. A powerful contrifugal pump, electric light, plant, and steam steering gear and steam wind-Under the French Treaty of 1858 Nanking lass are included in the engineering outfit is an open port already and is supposed to "en- She is lighted throughout with electric light. now the same privileges as Canton, Shanghai. She has accommodation for 36 third-class passongers aft, and forward are two staterooms filted for four salous passengers. The company's flag is square' with the Russian colours in the upper diagonal and the Chinese dragon in the lower. Capt. McCawley wil take command as soon as she is handed over. The lighter Kaichow, which is the third for the Company, has a gross tonnage of 195

in -N. C. Daily News.

Mr. P. Edaljee, is his annual Bombay Yara

Report, dated Hongkong, 1st January, 1899, the mill industry of India had remixed a severe check through the prevalence of plague in the City au ! Prosidency of Bombay throughout the greater part of 1997. With the disappearance of 1898, the trade as a whole, notwithstanding facturers on the spot will certainly be anable petition of Japan and China, has recovered its demand which will thus be occasioned; and in clasticity, and we have now to record an increase the meantime India may justifiably hope to of 28,566 bales, or nearly 11 per cont., in imin sales at Hongkong alone, over those of the independent statements made in the report preprevious twelve mouths. Owing to the ex- pared by the Blackburn Commissioners may tremely dull state of the Northern markets also be mentioned as tending to the conclusion.

In addition to the appended tables of imports,

161,404 134,337 13,429 1891 219,189 164,386 171,491 112,786. 207,935 169,117 129,938 237,200 213,854 120,911 257,903 215,375 151,935 256,367187,943 117,861 167,623 279,412

are inclined to think that the rosy times of the regard their export trade to China as necessarily Indian mill industry have gone, and repeat that permanent, they will nevertheless be justified the Bombay spinners will be confronted with in believing that they will be able to compete in the serious and fast growing competition from the China market with reasonable success for a goods to have, before it should be found out that the mills in Shanghai and elsewhere in China, period the end of which is certainly not yet in sontation he made, that he had as his own and in the interests of shareholders, with economical The work has progressed smoothly, the Chinese in the interests of shareholders, with economical The work has progressed smoothly, the Chinese management and-careful production, there is no being much gratified by a slight modification of good reason to believe why it should not con- the frontier line as laid down in the Agreement tinue to hold its own for a long time to come in of 1897, in the shape of a hill which, apparently, making them deliverable to their order. Mr. the markets of China. As an instance in point, they desire to fortify. The concession, however, it is only necessary to mention a single case out hardly appears of much value from a military vance of the money, and the keeper of Mesers. of many, in which out of a not profit of Rs. point of view, as the hill is outfinked by our ter-Dowdell, Carlill's godown would give evidence 115,000 the directors, promoters, and agents of ritory, but as the Chinese are pleased and will be a well known mill in Bombay the other day dis- anxious to allow modifications later on that the tributed Rs. 35,000 to the shareholders as Burma Government desires, the aim of the

as from its very commencement the attention of ceeds. Mr. E. C. S. George, in charge of the Bubsequently developed into a very brisk en- Christmas Day.—Rangoon Gazetto quiry oven throughout the Chinese New Year holidays, prices showing an advance of \$2 to \$7 per bale, and sales of the first quarter aggregating close up 52,000 bales, exchange on India fluctuating between Rs. 138 and Rs. 144. A reaction now set in and throughout the out. whole of April the market became quiet and

depressed owing to the prolonged drought and hai lat Feb., had moderate monsoon and fine consequent dearness of grain in the consuming | weather. districts. Business was temporarily suspended, but the advent of timely rain and favourable Amoy and Swatow 5th Feb., had moderate Acrnews from the country in the beginning of May | therly wind and sea and light rain throughout restored confidence amongst dealers, who again to Amoy. From Amoy to Swatow light N.E. put in an appearance in the market in great wind, smooth sea, and fine pleasant weather. force. A scene of wild buying, seldom known From Swatow to port light variable winds, in the trade, now followed, and heavy contracts smooth ses and fine clear weather. Vessels in to the tune of nearly 56,000 bales were entered Amoy-Glenfallock and Cheang Hock Kian. In into during May and June, prices having been | Swatow-Woosung, Esang, Chunshan, Wongkoi, rigged up abnormally high and reaching the and Wuchang. highest point of the year. The evil effects of this rash speculation were

not long in being felt by the trade generally. as throughout the middle of July and whole of robellion and brigandage in Kwangsi closed the August extreme rates put a stop to business in markets of that Province as well as those of Yannan. Stocks meanwhile were rapidly accumulating and reached 50,000 bales by the latter part of September, and the third quarter ! came to a close very gloomily, rates touching bottom and showing a loss of \$15 to \$17 on the A panie now ensued amongst certain un-

scrupulous dealers who had extensively operated for a rise, and the farce of wiring the Bombay Millowners' Association to curtail production in the name of the Cotton Yarn Guild, so onsuccessfully enacted in 1897, was again repeated with the usual flourish of trumpets and with the like results. And, as if to show the absurdity of their appeal, the month of October set in with a very

first and fourth weeks of that month 44,000 bales, embracing every count and spinning, were contracted for at an advance of \$3 to \$5 per bale, thus beating all previous records. In the early part of November the demand suddenly subsided and in the absence of encouraging response from the interior, the last two months of the year have been characterized by extreme caution on the part of dealers, and the market closed dull and depressed with an estimated unsold stock of

53,000 to be carried forward. With the exception of the Bombay spinners. the year 1898 has been very unprofitable to the importers and our native local dealers. Importations during the first two or three months of the year met with some profit and more or less covering prices were obtained. Subsequently, however, prices never responded to the advanced cost of production in Bombay, and demand soldom gave importers much opportunity of regulating solling rates with costs. So long, however, as the business continues on a scale of commission to Tom, Dick, and Harry in Hongkong, commensurate with a labourer's fair day's pay, results do not immediately affect the sellers here, and if all yarns that cannot be sold on the spot in Bombay are to be consigned, so long may the present state of business in them be reasonably, expected to continue to the detriment of legitimate trade. Our local native dealers have fared equally as

our markets with the heavier thread.

The appointment of Mr. Broderson to a seas 310 tons gross, being designed for passengers spite of the extreme duliness of domand, owing Business in Japanese threads has also greatly against 19,945 during the provious twelve months. Apart from the growth of the Cot water ballast and 28 tons of fresh water. Forty in advance made by the Japanese threads in considerably strengthened. Her engines are of the principal influences chiefly adverse to the Indian exporters. The imports of these yearns into Shanghai amounted In 1895 to .... 

a somewhat alarming growth and of no stight significance to the Indian trade. A bale is addition to these, 51,525 bales of local manufac. opinion of all our numerous customers. ture, both packed and unpacked, have gone into consumption. At the close of June 1898, there were

mills in Japan running an aggregate of nearly CRYSTAL WARE, &c., &c., of the best 1,000,000 spindles and 15 mills in Shanghai description, which we offer at most moderate and Northern China with about 400,000. At the same period last year there were. Visitors are respectfully invited to call and capital of Rupess 12,25,85,055, running an Read Central. aggregate of 42,59,720 spindles and 38,013 looms, and giving employment to 148,964 hands

whose capitals are not stated.

Those do not include 17 privately owned Mills 1231

Of these Bombay Island alone has barked nearly half the capital on its 72 mills. The mania for hullding now mills in India has not yet subsided, and is increasing yearly, notwithstanding the fears and warnings of the pessimists, as 24 more were in course of ersetion while 4 others were projected last year. In my last annual report it was pointed out that Of these II were in the Island of Bombay, It in Alimedabad in the Bombay Presidency, and

7 in other parts of India. We are on the eve of a great movement which should result in throwing open the whole of the murkets of inland China to the world. Manu-Whilst on the subject of competition certain

during the greater part of last year, direct that there is still planty of room for Indian shipmonts from India to Shanghai have remained | yarn in China. The experts state that "Indian stationary, but settlements there also show an yorn meets more nearly the requirements of increase of nearly 30,000 bales, or nearly 25 per that wast hand-lead weaving industry spread over the whole of Central and Western China than the yarn of any other country." But they exports, and sales during the last 23 years, we say more than this, for they declare that "on subjoin a statement showing the progress of every hand on our journey up-country we had the trade during the past decade for easy re- svidence that this trade has by no means reached its limits, and that a further increased demand is almost certain." In support of their prediction they mention that "in several districts the hold of Indian yorn is so great that the native cotton is going out of cultivation as a nonpaying crop, as Indian yarn can be laid down at a price with which the native grown new material cannot compete." In conclusion, says the same competent and best informed authority 3,500 from whom we extract the whole of the above 3,000 paragraph, "our contentions may be summed up in a single sentence. They are that while Bombay millowners should not allow themselves to Satisfactory as this comparison appears, we be fulled into a feeling of false security, and

The year opened with favourable prospects, doubt, eairns will be creeted as the party pro-

SHIPPING REPORTS. The Japanese steamer Hongkong Maru, from Yokohama 1st Feb., had fair weather through-

The British steamer Woosung, from Shang-

The British steamer Hailoung, from To sui,

EXPURT CARGUES. Per German str. Preussen, sailed on the lat

February. For Singapore :- 3,800 bags flour. For Genoa: -250 bales waste silk, 110 bales raw oil, and I case curios. For New York :-- 118 cases essential oil and 3 cases silk piece goods. For Antwerp :- 200 bales bamboo scraps, 26 packages rattaneore, 25 rolls matting, 10 cases curios, 4 cases cigars, and 3 cases Chinaware. For Amsterdam:—14 cases Chinaware and S cases palmbronchus. For Rotterdam: - 15 cases China ware. For 248 rolls matting, 31 cases sundries, 23 cases mayal stores, and 4 cases paper. For Hamburg :- 547 bales foathers, 200 boies cassis buds, 35 cases preserves; 30 cases palm leaf fans, 30 cases bristles, 20 cases fans, 10 casks preserves, 5 rolls matting, I box silk, 1 case blackwoodware, and I case curies. For Antwerp and/or Havre, Hamburg and/or London:-2 cases human hair. For Hamburg and/or Lon-

dan :-250 boxes broken cassia. CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.

THE Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, the 10th and 11th instant, respectively. For the CHARTEEED BANK OF INDIA. AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA. T. E. SANSOM,

Acting Manager, Hongkong. For the Hondkong & Shandhar Banking CORPORATION. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. For the NATIONAL BANK of CHINA,

Chief Manager. For the MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, JOHN THURBURN Manager, Hougkong For the BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, Hougkong Agency,

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,

o. Manager. For the Bank of China & Japan, Limited, CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager. For the Yokohama Specie Bank, Limited. S. CHOH,

M. DOURDIN,

For the Imperial Bank of China. E. W. RUTTER. Acting Manager. Hongkong, 6th February, 1899.

CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.

VITHE Undermentioned Insurance Offices will he CLOSED for the Transaction of ... Public Business on FRIDAY and SATUR-DAY, the 10th and 11th instant, respectively. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents, CARTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LD. General Managers,

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., LD. W. J. SAUNDERS, Acting Secretary, UNION INBURANCE SOCIETY OF CAN-TON, LD. W. H. PERCIVAL,

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of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation

will be held at the CITY HALL, Hougkong, on

SATURDAY, the 18th day of February next,

at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Re-port of the Court of Directors, together with a

Statement of Account to 31st December, 1898.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation

will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 4th

to the 18th day of February next (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON

WHARF AND GODOWN CO.,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWELFTH ORDINARY AND NUAL MEETING OF SHARE.

HOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 4, PRAYA

CENTRAL, at 11 o'clock, on MONDAY, the

20th February, for the purpose of receiving the

Report of the Directors, with a Statement of

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 20th

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

EDWARD OSBORNE,

Accounts to 31st December, 1898.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1899.

February, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

Hongkong, 25th January, 1899.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

Hongkong, 25th January, 1899.

Shares can be registered.

Hongkong, 17th January, 1899.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,

General Managors.

and the Report of the General Menugers.

proxime, both days inclusive.

and Auditors.

1899, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, 24th January, 1829.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1899. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTIETH ORDINARY AN-OUTLER, DALMER & Co. I NUAL MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, PEDDER'S Who have consigned their Brands to Hongkong STREET, on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of March, 1899, at 12 o'clock (NOON), to receive a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1898, and the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th February to the 1st March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Mauagors,

The sale of this good Scotch increases month by month; it is of Superb Quality and of Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. Hongkong, 31st January, 1899. THE WEST POINT BUILDING COM-LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., PANY LIMITED. NOTICE OF CALL.

> TOTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the above Company held at No. 5, Queen's ROAD ('ENTRAL, Victoria, Hongkong, on the Eixth day of December, 1898, the following Resolution was passed... "That a first and final call of Ten Dollars "(\$10) per share, upon all the Shareholders in the above Company, in respect of all the shares "held by them in the above Company, be and "the same is hereby made. Such call to be "paid to the Company at their Bankers, the "Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corpora-

tion, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hong-

"kong, on or before the 1st day of March, By Order of the Board of Directors. A. SHELTON HOOPER, New Far East, by Diosy ... ... \$ 9.50 Secretary to the HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & ACENCY

COMPANY, LIMITED, General Agents, THE WEST POINT BUILDING Co., LIMITED. Hanckang 1st January, 1899. THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MININ CO. LIMITED.

(IN LIQUIDATION):

1.50 | REFERENCE Shareholders ON THE REGISTER of the above Company can now obtain Serip for Shares in Queen Mines, Limited, upon executing an Agreement in my Sharehoklers NOT ON THE REGISTER may transfer shares to me, but no other transfers can be registered.
W. HUTTON POTTS, Liquidator.

Office, No. 2, Albert Road, Office hours, 2 to 3 r.m. Hongkong, 4th January, 1899. THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO.,

LIMITED. IN accordance with this Company's Articles of Association, INTEREST at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum is being charged on all unpaid CALLS. SHEWAN; TOMES & CO.

General Managers Hongkong, 21st January, 1899. IFLES, SPORTING GUNS, AM-MUNITION, &c.

FIRST CLASS HAMMER and HAMMERLESS Guns. PLEY'S E.C. SMORELESS CARTRIDGES. Do. Sonurry Do. SCHULTZ SMOKELESS POWDER, 11b. canisters. PIGOU WILK'S and LAWRENCE BLACK course of instruction combined with a thorough Powner. NEWCASTLE CHILLED SHOT.

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Hongkong, 18th October, 1898.

AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from Mr. ARTHUR ANDRESON to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, nt his Sales Rooms, Zetland Street, No. 2,

TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), the 8th February, 1899, Commencing at 2.30 P.M. A LARGE QUANTITY OF USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE (removed from the Penk for convenience) Comprising :--

SOFAS and COUCITES, EASY CHAIRS. VIENNA CHAIRS, HATTAN FURNI TURE OVERMENTERS, SIDE TABLES WASHINGSTANDS, TOILET TABLES. WRITING DESKS, HATSTANDS, CHAMBERSTANDS, LARGE and SMALL TEAKWOOD WARDROBES BOOK CASES, SIDEBOARDS, WHATNOTS, COOKING RANGES CUTLERY, CUR-TAINS, GLASSWARE, PICTURES. BATHTUBS and BATHROOM REQUI-SITES, &c., &c., &c.

One COTTAGE PIANO. One LADY'S and one GENT'S AMERI-CAN BICYCLE. Three VIOLINE in good order and condition. One HAMMOND TYPEWRITER. Catalogues issued prior to Sale. TERMS OF SALE :- As customary. On View at the Undersigned's.

PAUL BREWITT. Auctioneer. Hongkong, 4th February, 1899. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions PUBLIC AUCTION for Account of the Concerned. TO:MORROW

(WEDNESDAY), the 5th February, 1899, at 2.30 P.M. at their Sales Rooms, Ice House Street The following: BICYCLES. Four New "MERCURY" Roadstors, com-

plete, to be sold to the highest bidder over 875 BACH. On View at the Office of the Undersigned. TERMS :- As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH. Auctioneers. Hongkong, 6th February, 1899.

PUBLIC AUCTION. IN the course of this month, exact date to be fixed hereafter, there will be sold in the Public Auction Rooms in Batavia to the

highest bidder: The Iron 2-Masted light draught Mail Screw Steamer called the "GOUVERNEUR GENERAL MIJER," Built in 1871 by Messrs, CHARL'S CORNELL & Co., in Glasgow, Flying the Dutch Flag.

Length as per certificate of measurement
66.90 metres (223 feet), beam 8.65 metres (28 feet); depth 5.04 metres (17 feet), measuring gress 842.04 and not 411.71 tons, draught empty 9 feet, draught londed 14; feet; with 25 first, and 12 second class passenger accommodation, compound surface condensing Engines of 550 indicated H.P., steam boilers and donkey boiler (new in 1892); 6 boats and all inventory. To be sold as she is now lying in the barbour of Thnjong Prick (Butavia), where she is daily

open for inspection. In the meantime offers will be entertained. KONINKLIJKE PAKETVAART MAATSCHAPPY, LAUTS, WEGENER & Co. Hongkoug, 6th Feburary 1899.

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KWONG MAN WO, No. 132, Bonham Strand West. Hongkong, 11th January, 1899. DORTLAND CEMENA

J. B WHITE & BROS. SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA. .HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO Hongkong, 11th Aneil 1898.

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ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Chief Manager.

G. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 Months Fixed .......

Hongkong, 1st December, 1897

MANAGER:

per Annum on the daily balance.

Hongkong, 28th October, 1898.

PAID UP CAPITAL.....

J. P. LAUTS, Esq.

P. Sachse, Esq.

R. Shawan, Esp.

N. A. Siebs, Esq.

T. JACKSON.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1899.

C. Peurmann, Esq.

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T. H. WHITEHEAD,

AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

SAPITAL PAID-UP

RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-

Reserve Fund.....

Hongkong, 24th May, 1898.

ent, per annum on the daily balance.

Hongkong, 1st October, 1898.

- Туоля

New York

Hongkong, 27th October, 1897.

J. THURBURN,

San Francisco

Honolula

THE AMERICAN MAIL. TTILL MERCANTILL BANK OF INDIA The O. & O. steamer Doric, with mails, &c., LIMITED. left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu. Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki; and On London.-Shanghai on the 17th altimo. wbsoribrd ......£1,125,000 The C. P. R. stoamer Tartar left Vancouver PAID VI ..... £ 562,500 on the 1st instant for Hougkong direct and she Reserve bund ......£ 10,000 is expected to arrive here on the 25th instant. BANKERS: The P. M. str. City of Rio de Janeiro, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port on LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, DIMITED. INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at

the 2nd instant, via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nogasaki, and Shanghai. the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily balance. The C. O. Co,'s stoamer Belgian King left San Diego on Thursday, the 2nd instant, for Hongkong via Yokohama, Kobe, and Shaughai The O. & O. slowner Dorie, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 17th ultimo, via Honolulu, has arrived at Yokohama, and will Manager, Hongkong. leave for this port this morning via Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai. THE GURNAN MAIL

The N. D. L. steamer Sachsen, with the WYOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK German mails of the 9th altimo, left Singapore on Friday, the 3rd instant, at 10 a.m. and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, tho 8th instant.

THE CANADIAN MAIL. Tho C. P. R. steamor Empress of Japan left Vancouver for Hongkong via usual ports of Reserve Fund ...... , 6,960,000 call on Tuesday, the 31st ultimo. THE INDIAN MAIL.

The steamer Saisang, from Calcutta, and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Monday, the 30th ultime The steamer Kole-i-nur, from Calcutta, left Gold LEAF, 100 line, por tast ..... 53.25 Singapore for this port yesterday morning. MERCHANT STOAMERS The N. P. steamer Tacoma sailed from

Tasoma for Japan and Hongkong on the 18th THE LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED. The P. & O. steamer Shanghai left Bombay for this port on the 31st ultime. The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Gircla left Moji for this port on the 5th instant. The C. Mutual steamer Moyanc, from Glas-On Current Account at the rate of 2 per gow, &c., passed the Canal on the 17th ultimo, On fixed deposits for 12 months 5% per annum.

and may be considered due at Singapore on or The O. S. S. Co's steamer Menchaus, from Swansea and Liverpool, left Singapore on Frithe 3rd instant, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, 9th instant The N. Y. K. steamer Futami Maru (Europe Line) left Singapore for this port on the 5th instant, and is expected to arrive here on the

lith instaut. The E. A. steamer Malaya left Singapore yesterday, and may be considered due here on INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853. or about the 11th instant. The H. A. L. steamer Suevia left Hamburg for Hongkong, &c., via ports of call on Friday, Hongkong & C. Gas. the 30th Dec., and may be expected here on or about the 14th instant. The N. G. I. steamer Bormida left Bombay for this port on Saturday, the 28th ultime, and is due here on or about the 17th instant. INTEREST allowed on Current Accountat

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months ... 4 per cent. PASSED THE CANAL. OUTWARD,-3rd Jan.-Trieste, Servia. Jan .- Glengarry, Nerite. 10th January -St. Andrews, Molus. 13th January Manager, Hougkong. —Liv, Haiching, Hansa, Huron, 17th January—Benlarig, Formosa, 20th Jan. —Caledonien, Konigsberg, 27th January -Canton, Trold. 31st January-Oceanien. 3rd February-Chingwo, Indravelli, Pro-**WATHE** Business of the above Bank is conducted

motheus, Anapa. Homeward,—3rd February—Heidelberg. by the HONGKONG AND SHANG-HAI BANKING CORPORATION. -Rules may be obtained on application.
INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 34 POST-OFFICE NOTICES PER CENTAPER annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$1 more to the Hongkong and The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published SHANGHAT B. K to be placed on FIXED twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. por annum. to a much later hour than that given below. For the Hongsong and Shanghai

BANKING CORPORATION, The Postal Guide for 1898, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory, T. JACKSON. Chief Manager P. XXI. This is the only authorised completed Hongkong, 1st August, 1895. Summary of Postal information published in MMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA Hongkong.

PHAR DELIVERY closes at Post Office at ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE OF THE 11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the 12TH NOVÉMBER, 1896. Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. SUBSCRIEED CAPITAL... Shanghai Tis. 5,000,000 Paid-up Capital ..... " " 2,500,000 A BAIL WILL CLOSE.

For Saigon.—Per Oslo, to day, the 7th instant, at II.00 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.—Per Benmohr, to day, the 7th instant, at 11.00 A.M. For Saigen.—Per Taisang, to-day, the 7th instant, at 1.00 P.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, and The Bank purchases and receives for collection Bills of Exchange drawn on the above places, and sells Drafts and Telegraphic Trans-

Melbourne .- Per / Guthrie, to-day, the instant, at 3.00 P.M. For Saigon .- Por Katsuyama Maru, to-day, Malwa Older .....\$790 to \$800 ... the 7th instant, at 4.00 PM. Advances made on approved securities. Bills For Saigon -Per Quarta, to day, the 7th Do. Prper-wrapped \$140 to instant, at 4.00 P.M. For Canton.—Por Powan, to day, the 7th | Paina Old....... instant, at 5.00 P.M. At 2% per annum on Current Account daily For Pakhoi Per Hailan, to-day, the 7th instant, at 5.00 PM. 3% per annum on Fixed Deposits for 3 months. For Bangkok.—Per Machew, to-morrow, the

8th instant, at 9.00 A.M. For Saigon .- Per Chittagong, to-morrow, the 8th instant, at 4.00 P.M. For Singapore, Samarang and Sourabaya.-Per Onsang, to-morrow, the 8th instant, at 3.00 For Moji, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria and

instant, at 1L.00 A.M. For Singapore.—Per Indiani, on Tuesday, the 14th instant, at 11.00 A.M. For Saigon,-Per Loksang, on Tuesday, the 14th instant, at 4.00 P.M. For Moji, Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu, and Portland Or .- Per Monmouth shire, on Wednesday, the 18th instant, at 11.00 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.—Per Robilla, on Saturday, the 18th instant, at 3.00 For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, Henolulu,

and San Diogo.-Per Carmarthenshire, on Saturday, the 25th instant, at 10.00 A.M. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Laos will be idespatched on SATURDAY, the 11th instant, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via Marscilles, to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies,

Gibraltar. 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases. 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M.—Papers. 11.00 A.M.—Mail closes. Late letters 11.10 to 11.30. Extra postage 10 cents.

> NOTICE OF FIRM. THE Undersigned have This Day opened L the premises at 43A, QUEEN'S ROAD solicit the patronage of the public of Hong

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Hongkong, 26th September, 1898.

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Honokong, 27th July, 1897. NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS.

Neither the Captains, the Adents, nor the OWNERS will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in CARLETON, Amer. ship, Amsburg-Standard PEGASUS, British ship, Moulton-Arnhold

COMMERCIAL. CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

MONDAY, 6th February,

EXCHANGE. Telegraphic Transfer ...... 1/112 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ..... 1/113 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ..... 1/113 Credits, at 4 months' sight ..... 1/113 Documentary Bills, 4 months sight 2 (6) )n Paris.— Bank Bills; on domand .......247 Credits, at 4 montus' sight ....... 51 ON GERMANY.-On demand 2001 NEW YOUR .--ON BOMBAY.-Telegraphic Transfer ......145} Bank, on demand ......146 ON CALOUTTA.-Bank, on demand ......146 ON SHANGHAL .--Bank, at eight ......712 Ои Тононама.---. ON MANUA,---ON SINGAPORE.— Sovenmens, Bank's Buying Rate., 10.13

JOINT STOCK SHARES. COMPANY. D'AID CHE WOOT YOU SE 114 90, Luyera \$125 92 pr. c. pran., Hongkong & S'hai... China & Japan, prf. All recultations Do. ordinary 4.4 Li, 81 04 Do. deferred £1 5. as. Natl. Bank of China £8 1,204 B. Shares ..... Foun. Shares... 21 (21 iell's Asbestos E. A., £1 [aoadina! amphall, Moore & Co # 10 1/10, siles China Prov. L. & M., \$10 \$9.50, mies \$174, buyers China Sugar ......

Cotton Mills-|Fla. 100 |Tls. 70| International ......... Tis. 100 Tis. 80 Look Kung Mow ... Tis. 100 Tis. 83, sellers Hongkong ........... \$100 \$844 Jairy Farm ...... enwick & Co., Geo. ... \$25 | 31, sales & buyers \$10 3274 reen Island Cement.. \$5 , 26 , sellers Do. New Issue ..... H. & C. Bakery ...... 150 NB £19 \$126 Hongkong Electric ... \$10 \$11, buyer-\$100 \$130, sal. & buyers Hongkong Hotel .... \$50 | 74. sellem longkong loe ....... \$25 \\$ 120, mley&sellers I. & K. Wharf & U., \$50 \$86, Buyers \$50 k1724 Hongkong Rope...... I. & W. Dock ...... 1 125, 308, p. ct. prem = nsulunces--\$50 \$150, inles Canton..... China Fire ...... \$20 \$90, sales China Traders' ..... **125** (65

Hongkong Fire ..... \$50 \$3174, sellers North-China ...... Ez5 Tls, 150 Straits ..... Union ..... \$50 |: : 30, rales Yangtaza..... \$50 1:125, kellers and and Building-\$50 178, sellers Hengkong Land Inv. Humphreys Estate.. \$10 \ 93, sellers Kowloop Land & B \$30 \174, ex div. West Point Building \$40 518, sales anon Sugar ........ \$100 | 152, buyers ining— Charbonnages ..... es. 500 |5115, sellers Gt. Estn. & C'donian \$5 k 6, buyers Jelebu ...... Queens Mines Ld. 25c. (\$1, buyers -

viver's Mines, A..... Do. B..... \$5 \$7, sellera \$31 \$54, sellera Punjom ........ \$5 | \$6.25, kales Do. Preference. \$1 61.40 s. 10d. | 62, calen New Amoy Dock .... teamship Coys.— China and Mauila... \$50 |, 95, rales & buyers China Mutual Ord. £10 £9, 10s., buyers Do. Proference. .. £10 £5, 10a, buyers £5 £3, buyers Douglas Steamship \$50 \\$48, sellers H., Canton and M., \$15 626.75, seilers £10 : 66

Indo-China S. N. ... Star Ferry ...... \$7½ \$12.25, sales Cobrau Planting Co. ... 55 \$5, rellers 12 53. sellers United Ashestos ........ \$2 \$1,50, buyers ry auchas Th aronouse... \$10 E10 valson & Co., A. S. ..... \$10 513; buyers. J. Y. V. VERNON, Broker. Malwa New ......\$730 to \$740 p. pl.net. 14 cat. red. Malwa Old ...........\$770 to \$780 , , , ,,

Persian Oily ..... — to — Benares New .....\$822} Benures Old ..... -

THE WEATHER. CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER, 5th FEBRUARY, At 4 P.M.

STATION. | 8 Tacoma—Per Victoria, on Tuesday, the 1ith Vladivostock. 30.0230.99 Kochi ..... 30.15 30.07 Kagoshima ... Gutzlaff ..... 30.45 38 72 MNW 4 OV 30.3548 Sharp Peak ... 30,29 Amoy ..... 30.32 30.31 SWALOW..... 66 23 NE 1 c ... Canton ..... · 50.27 60 | 26 | -- 10 Б Hongsong Victoria Peak. (lap Rock ... 30.27 Macao ...... 30.28 62 - Eng 1 e .... Halphong ... Cape S. James. 6th FEBRUARY, AT 10 A.M. Vladivostock. Nagasaki ...... Karoshima ... Gutzlaff ..... 3047 86 90 N 2 bv Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Sharp Peak ... 3042 48 74 NNE 1 6 ... Amoy ...... 8038 | 40 | 64 | NE | 3 | b | ---Swatow ..... Frangkong ... 80.28 67 64 - 0 h .... Victoria Peak Gap Rock ... 30.35 - NE 8 - NE Haiphong ... 80.27 58 - N 2 0 Cape S. James - NNK 6 f

on the 5th at 11.53 a.m. The barometer has risen nightly on the China coast, fallen in the extend North. The suitey-clone still covers China, and pressure seems to be low to the Boath of Japan. Gradents slight on the coast, rather efters. EAST as a CYCLE EMPORIUM and beg to with strong mension in the N. part of the China Sea. Tores solicit the patronage of the public of Hong On the 6th at 11.40 a.m. Barometric changes are slight. Auticyclone conditions continue to prevail over China. Gra. (LADIES' and GENT'S) is on view and inspection dients slight on the coast, rather steep with strong monsoon in the N. part of the China Sea. Foresait:—Moderate or light N. winds; fine. HONGRONG REGISTER.

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